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To protect your right to choose your leaders, you have no choice Vote, Vote, Vote, Vote.

Doris Hayes, Miss Washington opens a recent Seattle Super Sonics game with her stirring rendition of the national anthem.

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Rev. James Watson

Rev. Leo Brown and Bill Gilven coordinators of Political Awareness Rally held at St. John B.C. Oct. 20th. More on pg. 3

Hilltop turns out for community election rally

We have come a long way from the cotton fields to the Congress of the United States of America - from one room shacks where we were taught our ABC's to colleges and universities where we are receiving our PH.D's - from segregated toilets to integrated restrooms'', Elder James Watson, who replaced Bishop Westbrook reminds us as he addressed the Black Political Awareness Rally held at St. John Baptist Church on October 20th.

Yes, we have come a long way, and it was not easy. Many have given their lives so that things could be easier for us. We have been urged time and time again to get out and vote ''During this time when a spirit of voting apathy is apparent among Republicans, Democrats and Independents, we must be watchful as well as prayerful that we are not lulled to sleep by failing to show up and make known our choices, Watson warns.

Rev. Watson emphasized that there are only a few days remaining before the voting day arrives and we must consider the issues, the candidates and their programs. ''Our ancestors and others have brought us to this hour, they have given us the glorious privilege of being citizens of the United States of America with a vote that could very well change the course of our world.''

A Little Trouble Now, or a Lot Later

by M. Carl Holman

President, National Urban Coalition

Moving around the country as election day 1980 nears, it sometimes seems that somebody has been passing out upside-down pills. All of the wrong people seem to have found the best reasons for registering and voting. And for recruiting thousands of their sympathizers to do the same.

Meanwhile, those in position to be most badly hurt by political power in the wrong hands or helped by such power in less hostile hands appear bound and determined to stay home and sulk--or sleep it all off like a bad dream. And that may be understandable -- though not necessarily the smartest course to take.

Perhaps you are one of those comfortably situated, cynical Blacks whose attitude towards politics is ''Who needs it?'' Or maybe you are one of those poor or jobless Blacks for whom politics has made so little difference that it hardly seems worth the effort to take the trouble required to register and go to the polls. Or maybe neither of the major national, state, or local candidates turns you on. You very much doubt that your vote will make much difference anyway. If you fall into any of the above categories you have plenty of company. But I hope you don't mind my saying that I wish you would think it over again between now and November 4.

Because this country is changing. A chilly wind is blowing through American politics. Under the stress in internal and external strains the fabric of American concern for people who are different from those in the middle is beginning to unravel. The 1980 elections are shaping up as a test of something more than who sits in the White House after the inauguration. The posthaste desertion of its unfinished agenda by the Congress promises that those who return for the lame duck session are very likely to take their cues from what they believe the voters will have said on November 4.

Can you, even now, make a difference in those November elections? You certainly can. Despite all the early talk of a shoo-in for one candidate or another, most experts are now expecting much closer races for the presidency, for several key congressional races, and for the too-often-ignored local and State elections.

IRS urges taxpayers to collect refunds

IRS District Director Arturo A. Jacobs announced that many checks remain undelivered because taxpayers have moved and left no forwarding address with the U.S. Postal Service.

According to Jacobs, a total of 1,371 tax refunds addressed to Washington residents have been returned to the IRS ranging from one dollar to $12,719. ''The refunds why people should check with us if they haven't received their refund,''

In all refund inquiries, the IRS asks that taxpayers provide their names and addresses as they appeared on the tax return that was filed, any changes that should be made to names or addresses, correct Social Security numbers and the type of tax form filed.

A list of the names and last-known addresses of persons with undeliverable tax refunds is available at Tacoma Facts, however, you must come in to office - no phone inquiries please.

average just over $445, with the total amount exceeding $610,000.

Jacobs added, there may be cases where the refunds have been lost or stolen. ''That's

Tacoman heads commission

Governor Dixy Lee Ray today announced the appointment of Elizabeth B. Dunbar, Tacoma, as executive director of the Commision on Asian-American Affairs.

Ms. Dunbar's appointment becomes effective October 27, 1980, and she will serve at the pleasure of the governor. She replaces Diane Yen-Mei Wong, who resigned. Her salary will be $24,900 annually.

She is presently the executive director of the Asian American Alliance of Tacoma. She is responsible for the overall direction and administration of a community-based, multi-service agency serving Asian/Pacific Americans in Pierce County.

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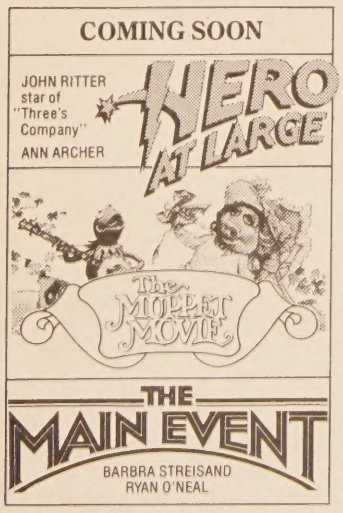

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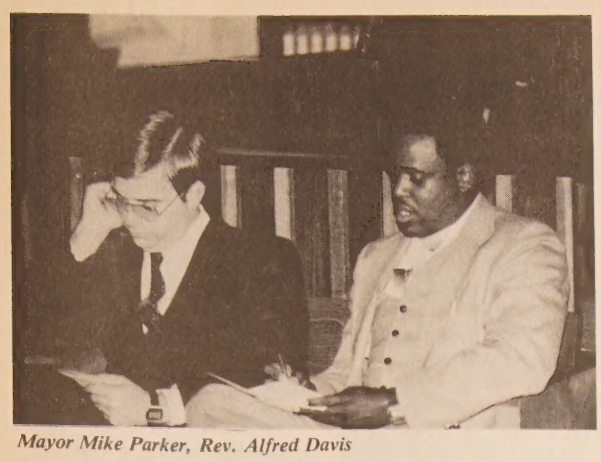

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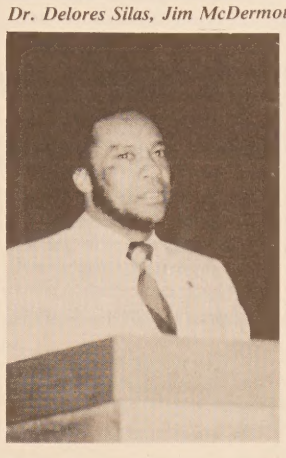

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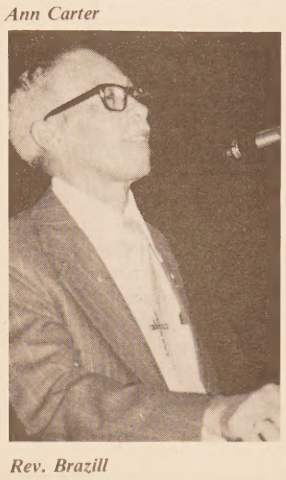

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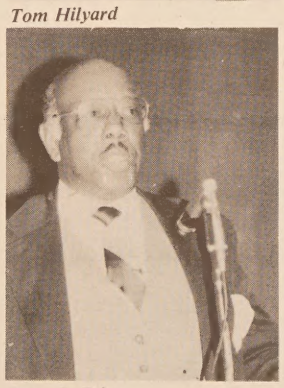

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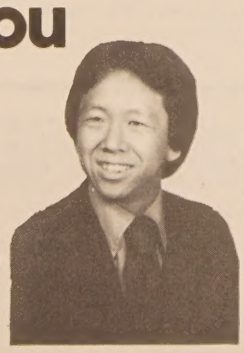

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Gospel News

A man with a vision

Rev. Leo C. Brown, Jr., the Pastor/Founder of the True Vine Community Church, has always been a man of visions. Even as a child growing up in Washington D.C., he had visions of one day helping his fellowman.

Leo's first vision was to become a minister and to pastor his own church. He subsequently became an associate pastor at Altheimer Memorial, serving in that position from 1963 to 1975.

During this time he began a prison ministry at McNeil Island Pennitentiary and Purdy Treatment Center for Women. It was during this ministry that Leo Brown received his second vision. In this vision, he saw a need for a place for persons coming out of institutions to go and become productive citizens before being entirely released upon the community. He started the first halfway house in the Tacoma area where persons in the institutions who were in the process of completing their sentences, could come to have counseling, be assisted in finding productive and meaningful jobs, and to be reintroduced to the community from which they came. This was the beginning of what is now the Progress House Association, which has grown from one facility housing 18 to 20 residents, to two residential facilities housing a total of 120 residents, both male and female plus an administrative office. Now located on 33rd and North Pearl.

In 1975, his first vision became a reality with the formation of the True Vine Community Church. There were only about 20 members in the church which consisted of Leo's family and some of the residents of the halfway house.

God also blessed Leo with a beautiful wife, Barbara, who provided Leo with all the love and encouragement that he needed to keep his visions alive. He blessed their union with 14 children (six from Leo's previous marriage, and eight from Barbara's previous marriage).

Barbara also was a lover of God and of her fellowmen. Thus the first halfway house for women in the Tacoma area was formed and called the Dorcas House.

As Leo and Barbara began their ministry together, doors began to open that had been shut to them before. The Lord began steadily talking to Leo through visions as a way of using his servants. Leo was given another vision which was to help underprivileged children. The first christian Summer Camp for Underpriviledged Children was founded. Each summer over 100 underpriviledged youth are taken on a comping trip for a week at a very small fee. These children, without the aid of this program, would never have been able to afford to go to a summer camp. The community is grateful to Leo and Barbara Brown for their sharing of this vision.

The Lord was not through, however, with Leo Brown. Under his ministry the church began to prosper and grow. People from all races began coming to True Vine which emphasized the word "Community". The church has grown from 20 members to approximately 250 members, and is still growing.

Recently, the Lord blessed Leo with the reality that another of his visions will be realized in the form of the first minority operated Senior Citizens Center soon to be constructed under the auspices of the True Vine Community Church.

To commemorate Rev. Leo C. Brown, Jr. and Missionary Barbara J. Brown's dedication to the service of the Lord, the True Vine Community Church is honoring its Pastor & wife with a Fifth Anniversary celebration beginning October 30th at 7:30 p.m. thru November 2nd at 3:00 p.m. at the church located at 33rd & No. Pearl, Tacoma, Wa.

The theme for the anniversary will be "We Come This Far By Faith", and looking back over the many trials and tribulations Rev. Brown has gone thru; to the time when his friends turned their backs on him in his hour of need; to the time when people said his ideas of a halfway house house were "ok" but they did not think he would succeed; to the time when doors were shut in his face because of his color; to the time when he had to make the church note payment out of his own pocket because the membership was so small, and many other instances too numerous to mention, the pastor and members of True Vine cannot help but to say "We have Truly come this far by Faith. Faith is the substances of things hoped for and the evidence of things unseen. With such a man as Rev. Leo C. Brown, Jr. through which to work his many miracles, it makes one wonder what other wonderous works the Lord has visualized for Rev. Brown.

We welcome news of your church and civic events. Please address photos and copy to Virginia Taylor, managing editor, The TACOMA Facts. Call 627-5597 for more information.

Bethlahem B.C. revival

Evangelist Rubin Fields, Sr., Pastor of Ravenbrook Widow Missionary Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Indiana will conduct revival services at Bethlehem Baptist Church, 1725 South Eye Street, Nov. 10 - 14, 1980. Rev. F. D. Bullock, Pastor. The 90th anniversary will be held on Sunday Nov. 16, 1980 at 3:00 p.m. Public is invited.

Mt. Tahoma holds classes

Beginning November 14th, Mt. Tahoma Seventh Day Adventist Church will hold a six-week First Aid and CPR class on Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at 1310 South L Street, Tacoma.

A Nutrition class will be held each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. starting November 5th. All classes are free.

Welfare Recipients Who are they?

According to a study by the National Urban League, black welfare recipients are fewer than what we have been lead to believe.

The study disclosed that 70 percent never receive unemployment benefits, 56 percent with annual income below $6,000 were not receiving welfare; out of seven major assistance programs, 65 percent received benefits from only one and 49 percent are not covered by Medicaid.

"Business in the Black" The economics of the Black vote

by Charles E. Belle

Give a child $10,000. It costs that much for one child to attend four years at a public college. Evidence of education is not by attendance at a formal school of education alone, but by the everyday actions of a child's elders. It is important to demonstrate to sons and daughters the duty of a responsible citizen in a community.

Carter, Reagan and Anderson may not be your choices for acceptable leadership of this country. "Confronted with a real Republican nominated by the Republicans, a crypto-Republican nominated by the Democrats and an ex-Republican nominated by himself" as Arthur Schlesinger, Jr. Pulitzer Prize Winner says, "Any choice is difficult."

Do not however, limit your choice to this "chosen" group, or let it stop you from voting for local candidatesand critical issues on the ballot!

In 1976, the Black votewas 8½% of the total turnout of almost 82 million. Mr. Carter got 92% of the Black votes that exceeded sven million. Make no mistake about it, Black America did not get a fair return for its faithfulness to James Earl Carter, Jr. Even his "best friend' is finding it hard to sell James Earl Carter the second time around.

Andy Young, former U.S. Ambassador to the U.N., sailed into San Francisco to attend an able local Supervisor, Doris Ward's kickoff breakfast. We tried to booster Carter's image. Fortunately, he found the strong supporters of Supervisor Doris Ward a tolerant group of people.

They could afford to be, Supervisor Ward had won rent-control and battled for a bit of the action for the San Francisco's Black community on a billion dollar water waste project.

Placing the appointment of Mr. Carter's appointment of 37 Black American federal judges as the greatest economic accomplishment of the Carter Administration, clearly means Andy ain't learned his numbers yet.

Readers of this column will recall the "non-negotiable demand" on James Earl Carter to appoint a minimum of 120 out of the 1200 newly created by Congress federal judgeships. This writer gave the White House a break when he only asked for 10% not the 12% Black America's nation population percentage truly deserves making a total 144 judgeships the real goal.

Not to mention as our more militant brothers would have demanded to make up for past retribution. Running the numbers on Carter comes to a 30 on his test paper. On the "qualified" scale of 100, he fails! Speaking of failures, economics and jobs, as I recall, Andy ain't got no job!!

Jobs just are what it's all about in the Black American community. Collective wisdoms, better known as "street wise" says support your local candidates, they are the best hope tohelp the Black American political and therefore economic condition

Museum opens Honor Council

The National Minority Military Museum Foundation has opened the membership rolls of its Honor Council to veterans throughout the United States in order to involve them in the development of the museum which it plans to build in Oakland, California.

"We are determined that this museum shall be representative of the historic contribution which minority men and women have made to the defence and development of this nation through their military service," declared Charles Blatcher, III, chief executive officer of the foundation.

Blatcher is spearheading the drive to contact an estimated ten million U.S. veterans and solicit their support for the financial and cultural programs to benefit the museums Building Fund.

Blatcher listed several civic and veterans organizations, already cooperating in the project, including Unit K West, and organization of Black navy veterans; the American G. I. Forum, the Tuskegee Airmen's Association, the Buffalo Soldiers Historical Society, the Institute for the Study of Race and the Military, the Japanese American Citizens League, the

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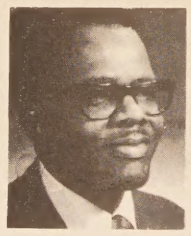

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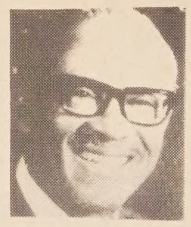

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Virginia Taylor's Outside Looking In

Politics, politics, that's the cry. Fund-raisers, doorbelling, yard signs, more fund-raisers. Phone banks licking stamps and envelopes, candidate forums and debates...what does it all mean - come November 4th - one will be the victor and the other will know "the agony of defeat."

The **Masons(Prince Hall)** will be providing transportation for anyone to get to and from the voting polls. The **NAACP** donated the space and phone.

The **Black Collective** is alive and working. For the uninformed, the **Collective** is the Saturday morning group that meets at the **Colored Women's Clubhouse,** 2316 So. Yakima. The make up of the group has representatives from the **Ministrial Alliance, Prince Hall Masons, NAACP, Tacoma Urban League, Black Forum, Black Women's Caucus, City Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Northwest Council for Black Perspectives, Black Educators, Greek Letter Sororities and Fraternities** and any concerned citizens.

The Black Political Awareness Rally held at **St. John's** on October 20th was a success. Many of the participants are pictured on page 3 of this weeks **FACTS.** The event was coordinated by **Rev. Leo Brown and "Big" Bill Gilven.** They did a marvelous job.

The NAACP Area Conference will be held this weekend beginning with a banquet on October 31. **Senator H. Jackson** is the keynote speaker. Tables are going fast, however individual seats are still available. Call **Mrs. Wesley** at 627-5435. The workshops will be held on November 1. Registration is from 8 to 9 a.m. **Virna Couson, NAACP, Region I Director** will be here for the three days. She will address the **Black Collective** at 8:00 a.m.

I'd like to welcome **Jean Watley,** formerly of Chicago, Illinois, who will be joining **The Tacoma Facts team as Advertising Manager. The Tacoma Facts** intends to keep its forward thrust by bringing you the news you want and the news you need. Feel free to use us. All we ask is your support. Subscribe today.

Sports

Last Sunday we had plenty of football. However, my team the **SeaHawks** didn't do so well.

Super Sonics - What's happening? Somebody broke a mirror. **Paul Westfal** is injured. **Gus** doesn't wan't the 2½ million bucks for 5 guaranteed years. He wants a million more. And **Slick Watts** is talking about wanting to come back and help out!!! **Fred Brown** is a miracle worker. He doesn't get the credit he deserves. He's truly a team player.

Sugar Ray Leonard hopes to whup **Roberto Duron** and regain his title, for 10 million bucks. **Duron** might want to retire. November 25, a big night in the **Superdome in New Orleans.** Of course **Sugar isn't being cheated, he received 10 million last time and will receive 7 million for this bout - Whew!! I'll have to watch via closed circuit.**

Black Women's Caucus will have a quick business meeting, 1108 So. 13th on Saturday, Nov. 1st 9:00, then adjourn to the **NAACP Workshops at the Doric Motel.**

Teen Scene

This week another congratulations is in order for the **Foss Falcons.** They won their second game last Friday against the **Stadium Tigers.** The score was 7-0.

This past weekend, I heard a lot of people stayed home because of the **"Fife Rapist."** According to the news, **Halloween Night** will not be a safe one unless the rapist is caught and people should make other plans besides **Trick-or-Treating.**

As far as the "happenings" for next weekend, the only thing I've heard about is the Halloween Costume Dance this Friday at the old **Amvets Hall and KTOY** will be rockin' the house from 8:00 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Correction: In last week's game between the **Foss Falcons and the Bremerton Knights, Mark Caldwell** scored 3 touchdowns instead of two and he rushed for 234 yards in 27 carries.

This week's column was written by **Traci Butler.**

P.S. Teen Scene editor **Kim Bailey** is home after having four "wisdom" teeth pulled. Get well soon.

Please address news of your happenings, parties, etc., to me, Kim Bailey C/O The Tacoma Facts, 1036 So. Sprague Ave, Tacoma, 98405, Ph. 627-5597. I'd also like to include your poems, drawings and short stories in my column. This is our spot in The Tacoma Facts. Let's use it!

Second Black Female Becomes Aviator

Lt. Christine B. Knighton, a 1979 home economics graduate of Tuskegee Institute is the second black female in any branch of service to become an aviator in the 38 year old history of Army Aviation.

The 22-year-old from Cuthbert, Georgia, received her wings August 8 after completing the nine month rotary wing flight program at Fort Rucker.

An honor graduate of Tuskegee Institute, and that school's first female pilot, Knighton says the flight program at Fort Rucker was on one hand "very difficult," but otherwise not the awesome task some might envision.

"Flying is not something that is impossible," she said. "People want to make it harder than it is." Yet she found the course difficult because "so much was congested into a 9 month period."

It was fate and timing that prevented Lt. Knighton from becoming the first black female aviator, but she takes all that with a shrug. "I wanted to do the best I could with this opportunity, even if I was first or second," stated Knighton.

Lt. Marcella A. Hayes, a University of Wisconsin graduate, became the Army's first black female aviator when she graduated from the rotary wing program in November 1979.

Because Knighton completed studies at Tuskegee Institute with the aid of an ROTC scholarship, and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army, she has a 6-year military obligation -- 4 years active duty and 2 years in reserves.

During a time when the question of women in combat is on the minds of many, the Georgia native says she will be content with any position she receives. "I don't want to go into combat zones," she stated emphatically.

"I am pleased with my new assignment at Fort Eustis in Virginia. There I will be training in aviation maintenance and test piloting.

There are problems associated with military, but according to Lt. Knighton, "they are no different from any of those encountered in everyday life."

And as one watches the highly skilled young woman pilot her Huey UH 1, one becomes certain that Lt. Knighton has something to carry with her the rest of her life.

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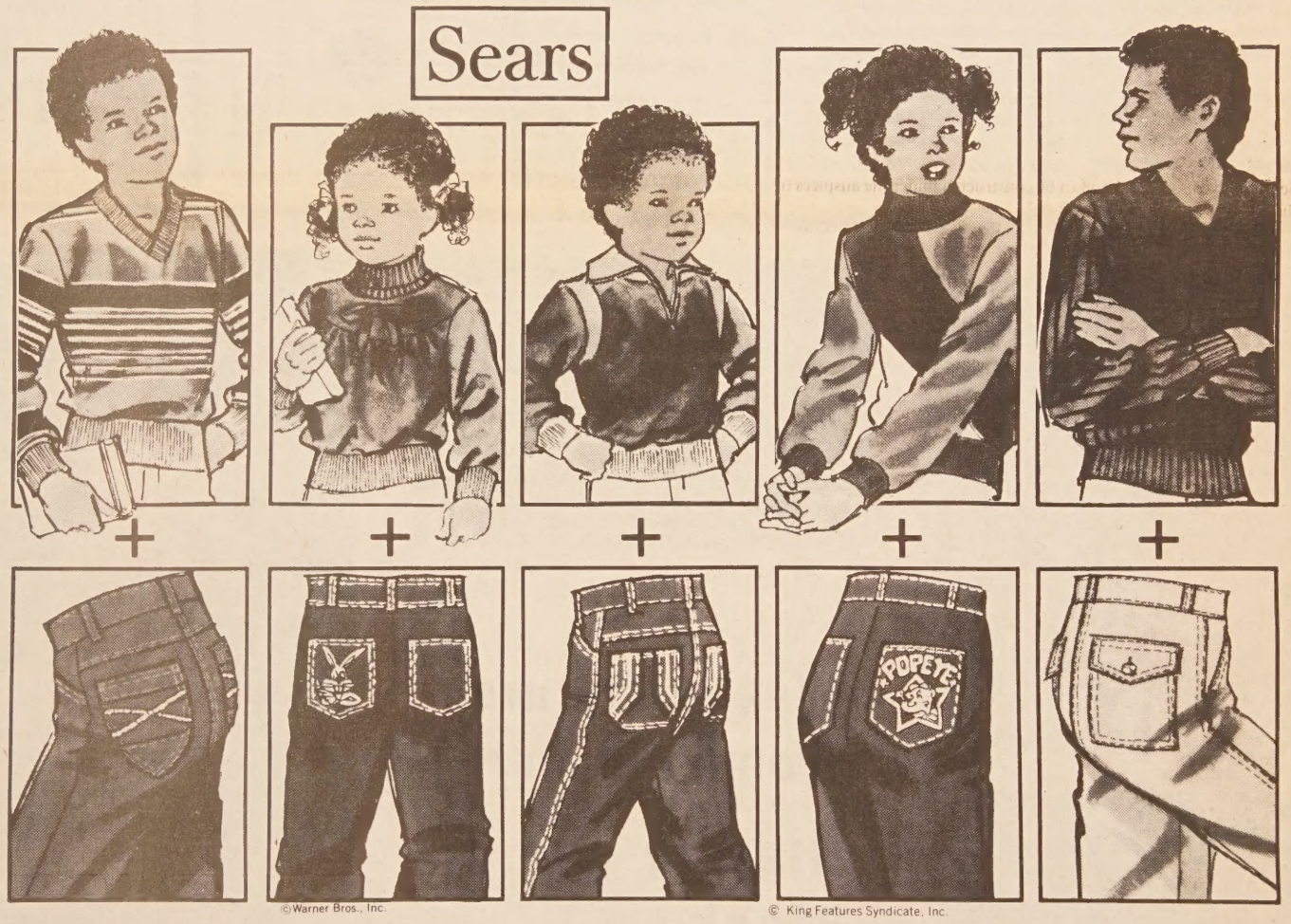

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Voting choices: no choice

It is precisely this kind of situation that can add extra weight to minority vote. To your vote. We are being told that the differences between candidate "A" and "B" are not significant. We are assured that there are not many Heaven-or-Hell choices in November. Well, there most certainly are some clear choices that should not be fuzzed over. And for those living on the margins of misery, even a small difference can make life very bitter indeed.

A few days ago I heard some very sophisticated Black journalists and one of the most thoughtful Black activist political scientists in America discuss the upcoming elections. It is doubtful that the leaders of either major party would agree with some of the things they had to say. They themselves were not in total agreement on all things. But on one matter they were unanimous: The critical importance of the strongest possible turnout of Black voters.

The jpolitical scientist said that Blacks need better strategies, more cohesiveness, broader leadership, better vehicles for assuring greater political payoffs for the masses of Black people. That is hard to dispute. But such a payoff may be delayed for four years--or a decade--if you and others don't find some way of overcoming your unhappiness or your disgust, your indifference or apathy long enough to take the trouble to vote.

Take just three especially critical areas of reality for you and yours. One is jobs and the economy. Another is the kind and amount of opportunity your children may have for decent schooling, housing, health care and protection both from crime and from abuse by the criminal justice system itself. The third is the prospect for peace and equity in a very troubled world. A world that has already shown more than once how it can reach across oceans and alter the shape and direction of life in this country.

Politics alone, the November elections, alone, cannot totally determine what will happen next year and the years that follow. But it is hard to name something Black people or poor people have the potential power to affect that will be more decisive in determining the near future in which you and yours must live.

The time is past for blind votes blindly given. But it is also past for those who will not take the trouble to make the effort that must still be made. And it does require some efforts to spoend the time, shoe leather, patience required to register, knock on doors, ring bells, make phone calls, baby-sit or take others to the polls. Just as it takes effort to follow up and demand delivery on results after the votes are tallied. If you don't take the trouble this year, rest assured that others will. And you may wake up to find that you don't like the America they are planning for you after November 4, even less than you like the present version.

It is a matter of taking a little trouble now, or dealing with a lot of trouble later.

Arts Commission accepts proposal

The Tacoma-Pierce County Civic Arts Commission is accepting support applications for projects of arts and arts service organizations that will take place from February through December, 1981. Deadline for application is Monday, November 24, 5 p.m.

Application forms and instructions are available at the Civic Arts Commission office, Room 409, Medical Arts Bldg., 740 St. Helens Avenue.

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For further information call the Civic Arts Commission, 593-4754.

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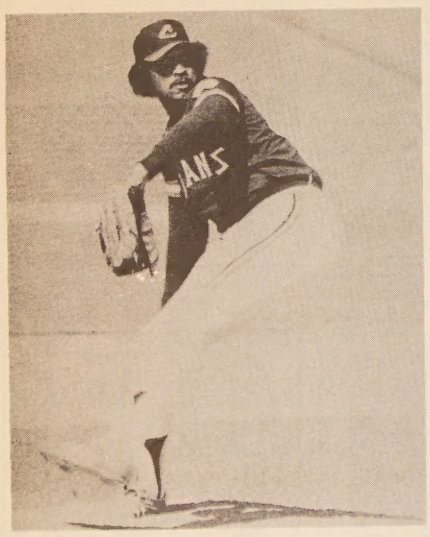

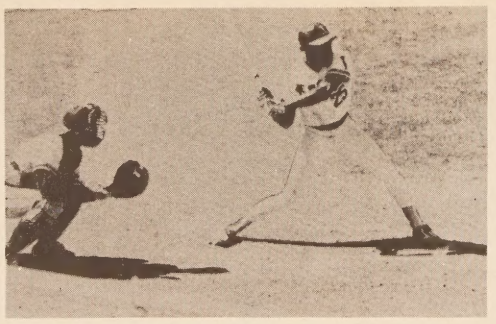

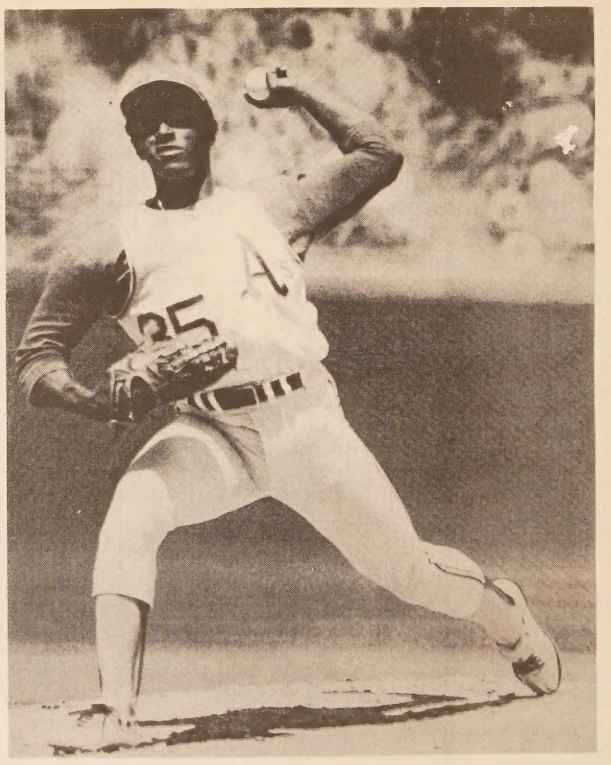

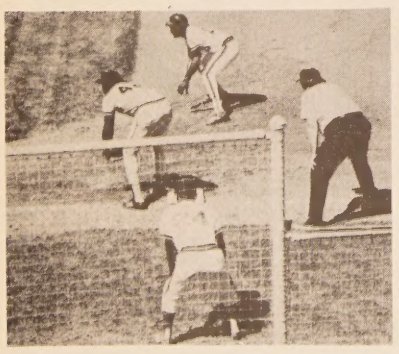

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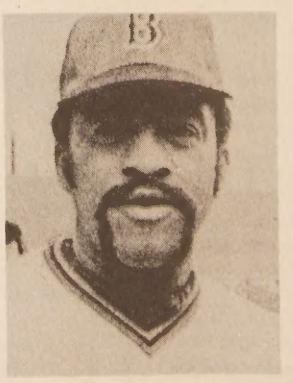

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Tacoma

Medical Arts Building
Human Relations
Community Development
740 St. Helens
Tacoma

Public Service Building
Job Service D.S.H.S.
13th & Tacoma Ave. So.
Tacoma

Mental Health Center
12th & K St.
Tacoma

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American Indian Organization and the 761 Tank Batallion Association.

The foundation has established the Honor Council membership drive as a grass roots opportunity for minority veterans to demonstrate the importance of a national museum of minority military history. A permanent rooster of Honor Council Members will be on display at the museum.

All activities are being coordinated from the foundation's headquarters in suite 310, 1221 Broadway, Oakland, California 94612. Minority veterans and veterans organizations who are interested in participating in the membership drive are invited to contact this address.

for your information F.Y.I.

Tacoma Minority Musicians & Entertainers Association 4th Anniversary

The Tacoma Minority Musicians and Entertainers Association will celebrate their fourth anniversary with a dinner dance:
Friday November 14, 1980
Place: Sherwood Inn 84th & Freeway
Time: 6:30 p.m. No Host Bar, 7:30 p.m. Dinner.
Speaker: Tom Dixon, Director Tacoma Urban League
Music By: "Dewey Parker & Madrigal, and KTOY Power Giant Disc Jockey "Disco-Dee."

Bazaar and soul food dinner

Zeta Amicae of Tacoma will sponsor a Benefit Bazaar and Soul Food Dinner at Miles Memorial Methodist Church, 1601 So. L Street, on Saturday November 1st, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Handmade arts and crafts will be available for purchase. Sparerib or chicken dinners are also available for $2.50. Proceeds from this event will be used for charitable causes in the Tacoma area. This event is open to all. Contact Ella Capers, 565-2006 for further information.

MDC programs move

Effective October 27 through October 31, 1980, two MDC programs will be closed temporarily. The Hilltop Emergency Service Program, 1209 South "I" Street and Cultural Pluralism Consortium Program, 2502 Tacoma Avenue are moving their operations to 1030 South "K" Street. On November 3, 1980 these programs will once more be available to low income, senior citizens and handicapped for services.

Children and Youth Council meeting

The Pierce County Area Council for Children and Youth announces its first annual Membership Meeting to be held at Remann Hall, 5501 6th Ave., on Tuesday, October 28th at 7:30 p.m.

The Membership Meeting, and membership on the council is open to all interested citizens. Youth are particularly encouraged to participate in the Council's activities.

Featured speakers for the evening will be:
Nancy A. Carlson, Chairperson of the Department of Social and Health Services-Region V Advisory Committee
and
Melvin S. Jackson, Director of the Department of Human Development for the City of Tacoma.

Immediately following the adjournment of the Membership Meeting, the Board of Directors will hold their first annual Board Meeting and elect officers to serve through October of 1981.

Free help

The Tacoma Urban League's secretarial program (SBIP) is offering a free business skills refresher course and job placement service to Pierce County and City of Tacoma residents.

This program has an established track record of upgrading rusty skills and placing 85 per-cent of the graduates into the job market.

Call our qualified counselors at 383-4981 for information that will lead to your securing a position in the future.

YWCA to host senior dance

The YWCA of Tacoma and Pierce County will host a Senior Dance from 2 to 4 p.m., Sunday afternoon, Oct. 26. The setting will be the Weyerhaeuser Hall at the downtown YWCA building, 405 Broadway. Entertainment will feature Z.O. Elliot's Sr. Band with music from the 20s 30s and 40s. Admission is free and refreshments provided. For further info., contact the YWCA at 272-4181.

Voter hot line established by Senate Democrats

In an effort to help voters combat last-minute direct mail smear tactics, the Democratic Caucus has established a 24 hour toll-free hot line that will be available for any question voters might have during the last two weeks of the campaign, Senate Majority Caucus Chairman George Fleming (D-Seattle) said today.

The state-wide number is 800-562-6098.

Christmas Bazaar at Beacon

There will be a gala Christmas Bazaar and quilt raffle at the Beacon Senior Center on November 6th and 7th.

The Bazaar will open at 9:00 a.m. and handmade items will be on sale until 4:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served and the public is welcome.

Unimproved land for sale

The General Services Administration announced today that it is offering for sale 20 plus acres of unimproved land located north of Monroe, WA.

The property is being offered by sealed bid sale No. GS-10-DRW-09148, with bid opening scheduled for November 28, 1980, 10:00 a.m. in the Business Service Center, Room 440, Federal Building, Seattle.

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Tacoma Ivy Bulletin Board

High School Jazz Band Festival

Jazz bands from eight area high schools will participate in a Pacific Lutheran University Jazz Ensemble Festival Saturday, Nov. 1.

Bands will begin performances at half-hour intervals in Olson Auditorium beginning at 9 a.m. The five hour long event will conclude with a performance by the PLU Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Roger Gard, at 2 p.m.

Members of the Akiyoshi-Tabackin Big Band, a PLU Artist Series attraction that evening, will head section workshops with the student musicians during the latter part of the afternoon.

Participating bands represent Olympia, W.S. West (Chehalis), Sehome, South Kitsap, Franklin-Pierce, Tyee, Sumner and White River High Schools.

Festival adjudicators are Julian Priester of Cornish Institute in Seattle; Portland jazz saxophonist Don Commac; and PLU jazz trumpet player and music professor Larry Meyer. The festival is free to the public.

The Akiyoshi-Tabackin jazz concert will be held in Olson Auditorium at 8 p.m.

Giftedness programs scheduled at PLU

Two programs on education of the gifted child will be held this coming weekend at Pacific Lutheran University.

The PLU School of Education is sponsoring a workshop Friday, Oct. 24, in the PLU University Center designed for teachers, parents, counselors and administrators.

A program for parents, teachers and the children themselves will be held Saturday, Oct. 25, also in the University Center. It is sponsored by the Tacoma Area Council on Giftedness.

UPS lunch hour entertainment

The University of Puget Sound is host for unique lunch hour entertainment each Tuesday from noon-1 p.m. in Kilworth Chapel Lounge. The free programs, featuring everything from music to poetry to short plays, are tailored to fit neatly into the lunch hour.

Some of the upcoming selections this fall include "All That Jazz" on Oct. 28; "Electing a President," Nov. 4; "A Celebration of Many Cultures," Nov. 11; and "Monte Carlo on 4000 Dollars a Day," Nov. 18.

The "Brown Bag" Tuesday lunch hour is a popular weekly occurrence throughout the year. The public is invited to stop by. For more information contact the UPS School of Music at 756-3253.

Coffee and tea will be provided.

Conferance on aging

A legislative conference on aging will be held November 12, 1980, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., in the Tacoma Community College Theater. The conference, sponsored by the State Council on Aging, will provide a forum to discuss legislative proposals scheduled for the 1981 legislative sessions.

Older adults, age 55 or older are eligible to attend and participate in the discussions.

Refreshments will be provided, but not lunch. Participants must register before November 3, 1980.

To register please contact the Pierce County Area Agency on Aging, 2401 South 35th St., Tacoma, Wa. 98409. The phone no. is 593-4828.

Haunted house

Who: The March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation and
What: KTAC's 5th annual Haunted House
Where: 1516 Commerce (downtown Tacoma)
When: Oct. 16- Nov. 1
7-10 Weeknights
Closed Sundays
7- Midnight Weekends
Cost: $2 at the door
Special Features: 1. This year there will be the added attraction of a different full length horror movie nightly. Cost for the movie is an additional $2.
2. Dracula is running for president with Herman the primate prime running mate. The Countess is of course his first lady.
For more info. please call 752-9255.

Self Discovery Workshop

"Number One Personality Killer" will be the workshop topic for displaced homemakers at 1 p.m. Monday Oct. 27, at the Spanaway Lutheran Church, 16001 "A" St. in Spanaway.

The workshop, dealing with self discovery and your inner self, will be presented by Women in Transition, the program for displaced homemakers at Clover Park Vocational-Technical Institute.

More information about the workshop is available by calling the Women in Transition office, phone 756-8545.

Positions Open

Firefighters

Applications will be accepted for the position of firefighter till 4PM Oct 31. Selection will be by written test, physical agility, oral board, and Medical Examination. 20-35 yrs, High School Grad or G.E.D., Wa. Drivers License, Good physical condition. Applications available 8-5 at 31617 1st Ave So. Federal Way Eligible Minorities Encouraged to apply.

Position Open KBRD Radio Station Full-time experienced Continuity Director

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Public Notice

The application process for funding under Revenue Sharing to carry out programs during calendar year 1981, has been re-opened by the City of Tacoma. Tacoma private, non-profit organizations have an opportunity to submit proposals under the following categories: Health Maintenance and Treatment Services (including Mental Health) and Drug-Related Treatment Services.

Applications may be obtained 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Friday, from Human Development, 740 St. Helens, 8th Floor, Tacoma, Wa. 98402.

Completed applications must be received in Human Development no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, November 7, 1980.

Classified FACTS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Olympia, Washington 98504 September 29,1980

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Transportation Reception Desk located on the first floor of the Highway Administration Building, Olympia, Washington, until 10:00 A.M., or at P.O. Box 7667 Olympia, Washington 98507 until 9:00 A.M., on the dates shown below and will be opened and publicly read for the construction of the following improvement(s).

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waiver informalities in the bidding.

Those contractors wishing to submit sub-bids on the project(s) listed below must do so directly through the prime contractor. Names and addresses of the prime contractors may be obtained by contacting the Department of Transportation in Olympia, Washington or by calling (206) 753-6004.

Prequalification of bidders is required except where otherwise provided in Plans and Specifications. Maps, plans, specifications and proposals may be obtained upon payment of the amount set forth below.

Bidding proposals for projects containing a Minority Business Enterprise goal will not be issued later than 5:00 P.M. on the Friday next preceeding the bid opening date established for such projects.

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Project Documents will be furnished for a non-refundable fee of:

Project Estimate	Fee
$0 - $1,000,000	$ 5.00
Over $1,000,000	$10.00

The improvement(s) for which bids will be received follow:

BID OPENING OF WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1980

(JEFFERSON COUNTY) HOOD CANAL BRIDGE REPLACEMENT - UNIT 1 (Class 6, Bridges and Structures $60-80 Million) THIS PROJECT CONTAINS MINORITY SUB-CONTRACTING GOAL FA No. ER-79-2(38) and a State Project on 0.768 mile of SR 104, MP 13.96 to MP 14.73. Construct a 3805' Concrete Floating Bridge, Replacement for West Span Sunk by Storm Damage. A PRE-BID CONFERENCE will be held October 22, 1980, at 2 P.M. Place: Highway Administration Bldg, Olympia, Room 1-D-19. Additional information appears on Page 47 of the Project Provisions. 600 Working Days. This project includes lump sum bids for 12 pontoons including about 34,620 CY Struct Conc, 5,256,000 Lbs Epoxy Resteel, 607,850 LF Post-tension Ducts (1 3/8" - 3 3/4"), 5,869,200 LF Prestress Strands (0.6"), 133,420 LF 1 3/8" Bar Tendons, 418 Ton Struct Stl (Anchor Gallery), 490 Hatches (30" Diam), 7,910 LF Safety Railing - the Lump Sum Bid for Transition Span Work Includes about 116 Tons Struct Steel, 106,000 Lb A-588 Plate, 1800 Lb A-588 Plate, 3200 SF Stl Grid Deck - the Lump Sum Bid for Superstructure Alternates Include the Traffic Barrier (about 620 CY Concrete & 146,000 Lb Epoxy Resteel). Alternate A (Cast-in-place Deck) also includes about 3660 CY Struct Conc, 785,800 Lb Epoxy Resteel & 112,300 Lb Prestress Strands. Alternate B (Prestressed Panels for Bottom of Deck) includes 3610 CY Struct Conc & 985,000 Lb Epoxy Resteel. Also included is 14,880 LF Prestress Girders and Crossbeams & Columns with 1010 CY Struct Conc, 359,000 Epoxy Resteel, 13,700 Lb Prestress Strands, 248 Elastomeric Pads & 124 Bridge Drains. The Alternate Lump Sum Bids for Anchors (26) include, Type 1; 12740 CY Concrete, 1,612,000 Lb Resteel & 21 Tons Struct Steel or Type 2; 16,640 CY Conc, 3,172,000 Lb Resteel & 21 Tons Struct Steel, and installing 24 Anchor Cables. Also included is Removal of Underwater Obstructions, plus Electrical Work and 40,000 Hrs Training and other work. L-6759.

W. A. BULLEY
Secretary of Transportation

Sub Bid Request

Hood Canal Bridge replacement. Federal Aide Project no. ER-79-2 (38) 1980.

Equal Opportunity Employer-Request Sub Bids from Women and Minority Business Enterprises.

Bid Date: November 19th
Time: 10:00 a.m.

S.J. Groves and Sons Co.
2227 152nd N.E.

Redmond, Wa. 98052
(206)643-3990

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Olympia, Washington 98504 October 20, 1980

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The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waiver informalities in the bidding.

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BID OPENING OF THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1980

(THURSTON COUNTY) SR 101 O'Xing 8/104 N & S RAIL REPLACEMENT (Class 6, Bridges & Structures, $135,000-$175,000) Bids for this project are invited from Minority group contractors after having been prequalified, however, all prequalified firms may compete. FA No. HES-008 (1) on SR 8, MP 20.63 to MP 20.67. Improvements require: Remove existing rail, bases & end posts, construct new barrier rail on 2 bridges west of Olympia. 95 Working Days. This project involves about 15500 lbs Re-Bar, 120 CY Conc Cl AX, 594 LF Temp Barrier, 1190 LF Paint Striping, Lump Sum Bids for Removing Parts of Bridges & Temp Illum System, 800 hrs Training and other items. (L-6633)

W. A. Bulley
Secretary of Transportation

CALL FOR BIDS Sealed Proposals For: OFFICE FURNISHINGS Specifications No. G-144-80

will be received at the office of the City Clerk, Room 338, County-City Building, Tacoma, Washington. Proposals will be received until 2:00 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 13, 1980 at which time they will be opened by the City Clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bid Bond in an amount equal to 5 percent of the Proposal.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Surety of Performance Bond for 100 percent of the contract price.

Plans, Specifications, Proposal, Contract, Bond and Affidavit forms may be inspected and obtained by intending bidders at the office of the City Clerk, Room 338, County-City Building.

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CALL FOR BIDS Sealed Proposals For CONVERSION OF FIVE (5) MAXI VANS SPECIFICATION NO. G-145-80

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